Section E Inspection and Acceptance

E.1 Clauses Incorporated by Reference

This contract incorporates the following clauses by reference with the same force and effect as if they were given in full text. Upon request, the CO will make their full text available.

CLAUSE NUMBER	FAR TEXT REFERENCE	TITLE
The following apply to any Task Orders awarded on a cost-reimbursement		
basis:		
52.246-3	46.303	Inspection of Supplies-Cost Reimbursement (May 2001)
52.246-5	46.305	Inspection of Services-Cost Reimbursement (April 1984)
52.246-2	46.302	Inspection of Supplies - Fixed Price (Aug 1996)
52.246-4	46.304	Inspection of Services-Fixed Price (Apr 1996)

E.2 Inspection and Acceptance

- a) Inspection and acceptance of all work and services performed under any Task Order will be in accordance with the FAR clauses incorporated at section E, Clauses Incorporated by Reference, as applicable.
- b) Final acceptance of all deliverables and or services performed as specified under any task order will be made in writing, at destination by the COTR. (Also, see sections in G, COTR and Lead COTR.)

E.3 Standard Acceptance Criteria

The general quality measures as set forth below will be applied to each work product received from the contractor under this contract and any resulting task orders awarded.

- Accuracy work products shall be accurate in presentation, technical content, and adherence to accepted elements of style.
- Clarity work products shall be clear and concise; engineering terms shall be used, as appropriate. All diagrams shall be easy to understand and relevant to the supporting narrative.
- Specifications Validity All work products must satisfy the requirements of the Government as specified herein.
- File Editing All text and diagrammatic files shall be editable by the Government.

- Format work products shall be submitted in hard copy (where applicable) and in media defined in the SOW. The work product format may be different in each task order. Hard copy formats shall follow Department of the Treasury and IRS Directives and shall be consistent with other similar efforts.
- Timeliness work products shall be submitted on or before the due date specified in the task order, or submitted in accordance with a later, scheduled date determined by the CO.

More specific acceptance criteria for deliverables may be set forth in individual task orders.

E.4 Review of Deliverables

- a) The Government will perform an initial review of deliverables, and if problems are encountered during the review, the contractor must correct them. If necessary, a meeting may be convened to resolve any differences. The contractor shall make all required changes to achieve an acceptable deliverable. The Government will perform its review within approximately 15 calendar days from receipt of the deliverable or as otherwise specified in each task order.
- b) When the review of a deliverable results in necessary modifications, the Government will, in accordance with the approved task order schedule, provide the necessary documentation to correct the deliverable. It will then be the responsibility of the contractor to properly and consistently incorporate the comments in the final product.
- c) These procedures shall not be construed to constitute a waiver on the part of the Government of its rights under <u>FAR Subpart 49.4</u>, entitled "Termination for Default", nor of any other rights or remedies provided by law or under this contract.

(End of section)